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Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER		2. DATE OF FILING
Garretson Weekly		9-21-05
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE
Weekly	52	22.00

4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers)
PO Box 310 Garretson SD 57030

5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers)
PO Box 5034 SF SD 57117

6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER:
Arnold H. Garson

7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.

FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
Prairie Publications	PO Box 5034 57117

8. KNOWN BONDHOLDERS, MORTGAGES, AND OTHER SECURITY HOLDERS OWNING OR HOLDING 1 PERCENT OR MORE OF TOTAL AMOUNT OF BONDS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITIES (If there are none, so state. If more space is needed, list on back of this form.

None

9. EXTENT AND NATURE OF CIRCULATION	AVERAGE NO. COPIES EACH ISSUED PRECEDING 12 MONTHS	ACTUAL NO. COPIES ISSUED NEAREST TO FILING DATE
A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)	1049	1069
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales.	165	217
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)	714	691
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)	879	908
D. FREE DISTRIBUTION 1. BY MAIL, CARRIER OR OTHER MEANS	0	0
2. SAMPLES, COMPLIMENTARY AND OTHER FREE COPIES	75	75
E. TOTAL DISTRIBUTION (Sum of C, D1 and D2)	954	983
F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED 1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing	69	75
2. Return from News Agents	26	11
G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and F2 – Should equal net press run shown in A)	1049	1069

I swear that the statements made by me above are correct and complete.

SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF PUBLISHER, BUSINESS MANAGER OR OWNER

Arnold H. Garson

State of South Dakota)

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County of Minnehaha

JACQUELINE ZIMMERMAN
(Seal)
NOTARY PUBLIC
SOUTH DAKOTA

Sworn to before me this 29th day of September, 2005

J. Zimmerman
Notary Public

My commission expires 12-22-09

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